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APPENDIX.

NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 (1) and (2) (d) of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act, 1946 (Central Act XXIV of 1946), read with the notification of the Government of India, Department of Food, No.PY-603 (2)-1. Dated the 21 st Obtober 1946, and Section 17 (2) of the said Act, and with the concurrence of the Government of India, His Excellency the Governor of Madras hereby makes the following amendments to the Madras Rationing Order, 1947, published with the Food Department Notification, dated the 15th September, 1947, at pages 146-148 of the Rules supplement to Part II of the Fort St. George Gazette, dated the 30th September 1947, as subsequently amended.

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AMENDMENTS.

In the said rules --

(i) for clause 13, the following clause shall be substituted, namely:

"13 (1) An officer or authority empowered by or in pursuance of this Order to exercise any power or a Rationing Officer, or any Officer authorised by him in this behalf may, within his jurigdiction--

(a) enter any premises and search it provided that in exercising the power of entry due regard shall be paid by such officer to the social and religious customs of the occupants of the premises:

(b) inspect at all resonable times, any stocks of rationed articles, any ration documents or any books, accounts or other documents or any books, accounts or other documents pertaining to dealings in any rationed articles;

(c) seize any article in respect of which a contravention of the Order has been, is being or is about to be committed;

(d) stop any vehicle, boat, person or animal and search the same;

(e) ask of any person all necessary questions; and

(f) require the production of any document.

(2) Every person who so required by such Officer under sub-clause (1), shall allow access to the premises, provide facilities to inspect, deliver such article or articles seized, stop the vehicle, boat or animal, answer the truthfully all questions asked of him, give it in writing if so required and produce the documents in his possession or under his control".

(ii) clause 22 shall be omitted and clauses 23,24 25 and 26 shall be renumbered as clauses 22,23,24 and 25 respectively.

Sd. K. SUBBAREDDY.
Superintendent.

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Superintendent,
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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

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